

## **Jesse Clifford Austin**

### **1850-1950 Centennial Biography**

Jesse Clifford Austin, son of Parley and Charlotte Beck Austin, was born in Lehi, Utah March 29, 1892.

He married Jetta Cummings daughter of John and Lenora Duke Cummings early pioneer settlers of Heber City, January 18, 1913. They were married later in the Salt Lake Temple.

To the union was born one daughter, Maxine, wife of George Hollindrake. They have one granddaughter, Karen Sue, of Salt Lake City, Utah.

Active in Church and civic affairs, he was superintendent of the Second Ward Y.M.M.I.A. for 16 years; secretary for the 127th Quorum of the Seventy for several years; and member of the Lehi Stake Genealogical Committee.

Interested in farming, he was employed by the Utah Idaho Sugar Company, in early life. Later he farmed for himself and now is employed by Geneva Steel Company.

Enthusiastic gardeners and flower lovers, Mr. and Mrs. Austin have a spacious flower garden containing 175 rose bushes, many of them all-American selections, and numerous varieties of other flowers which make gorgeous display from early spring until frost. Many visitors, local and out-of-town, visit this garden annually.

Many sweepstakes and trophies have been awarded the Austins in local and surrounding flower shows for specimen blooms.

Mr. Austin enjoys fishing and trips to the canyons and thinks Lehi is the best place in the world to live.

